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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6675

BILL NUMBER: HB 1080

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 30, 2006

BILL AMENDED: Jan 26, 2006

SUBJECT: Abortion Clinics.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Stutzman

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: 2nd Reading - 1st House

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
X DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill provides that physical plants of abortion clinics, even if they were in operation prior to July 1, 2006, must meet the licensure standards for physical plants.

Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) The bill codifies the specifications for the physical plant required for licensure that were developed by the Department of Health. The bill requires that the physical plant requirements must be met by January 1, 2007, in order for a clinic to be licensed by the state. Currently, the rule promulgated by the Department allows abortion clinics that have been in operation prior to the adoption of the rule to be granted an exemption to the required clinic physical plant specifications. This provision would require a revision of the existing licensure regulations which should be accomplished within the existing level of resources available to the Department.

Appropriation Background: The Indiana State Department of Health administrative appropriations were made from the dedicated Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement Fund for FY 2006 and FY 2007. Revenues from fees and penalties collected by the Department are deposited in the state General Fund with augmentation allowed in amounts not to exceed the additional revenue from fees or penalties received after July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Revenues: (Revised) The bill may reduce the amount of fees collected for clinic licensure if any of the currently operating clinics cannot meet the physical plant requirements specified in the regulations. The impact on revenue would be minimal since there are only 11 clinics.

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Indiana State Department of Health.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: State Department of Health; 410 IAC 26.

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